

MODEL-BASED LOCALIZATION AND MEASUREMENT OF MINIATURE SURFACE MOUNT COMPONENTS

ABSTRACT

5 A system and method for object inspection includes an object modeler;
an iterative object segmentor in signal communication with the object modeler
for receiving an input image and model parameters and producing a
segmented image; a moment transformer in signal communication with the
iterative object segmentor for receiving an input image, model parameters and
10 a segmented image and producing estimates of object translation, rotation
and scaling; an edge detector and interpolator in signal communication with
the moment transformer for receiving an input image, model parameters and
estimates and producing a set of line edges; and an iterative optimizer in
signal communication with the edge detector and interpolator for receiving an
15 input image, model parameters, estimates and line edges and producing
refined estimates of object translation, rotation and scaling.